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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION
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Transmitted herewith for filing is the non-provisional utility patent application entitled:

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which is:

- an ☒ Original; or
- a ☐ Continuation, ☐ Divisional, or ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)
of prior Application No. filed
Anticipated Group/Art Unit: , Class , Subclass
- ☐ This non-provisional patent application is based on Provisional Patent Application No. , filed .

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification (including Abstract) and claims: **16** pages.
- ☒ 7 sheets of drawings (formal).
- ☐ Application Data Sheet.
- ☒ Unexecuted Declaration.
- ☐ Copy of Declaration from prior application.
- ☐ Separate Power of Attorney (including 37 CFR 3.73(b) statement, if applicable).
- ☐ Microfiche computer program (Appendix).
- ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:
- ☐ Computer readable copy ☐ Paper Copy ☐ Verified Statement.
- ☐ Under PTO-1595 Cover Sheet, an assignment of the invention
- ☒ Name of Assignee: **Hamilton Beach/Proctor-Silex, Inc.**
- ☐ Certified copy(ies) of Application No(s). filed is/are filed:
☐ herewith or ☐ in prior application
- ☐ Applicant(s), by its/their undersigned attorney, claim(s) Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27 as ☐ an Independent Inventor, or ☐ a Small Business Concern, or ☐ a Non-Profit Organization.
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment.
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A/B, and cited references.
- ☐ Request for Nonpublication of Application Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)
- ☐ Other:



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